

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 HONG K 05759 270536Z

12

ACTION ITF-05

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EA-06 ISO-00 SR-02 ORM-01 AID-05 VO-03

SCA-01 CIAE-00 DODE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 PA-01 USIA-06

PRS-01 SP-02 H-02 IO-10 /065 W  
----- 070154

R 270307Z MAY 75

FM AMCONSUL HONG KONG

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5135

INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

USMISSION GENEVA

USMISSION USUN

C O N F I D E N T I A L HONG KONG 5759

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SREF AEMG BE HK

SUBJECT: GOB POLICY ON RESETTLEMENT OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

REF: BRUSSELS 4589

1. BELGIAN CONSUL GENERAL INFORMED CONGENOFF MAY 27 THAT HE HAS NOT RECEIVED ANY INSTRUCTIONS FROM BRUSSELS CONCERNING VIETNAMESE REFUGEES IN GUAM, WAKE, OR US. THUS, HE HAS NOT IMPLEMENTED ANY PROCEDURES FOR HANDLING SUCH REQUESTS. HE PROMISED TO INFORM US WHENEVER SUCH INSTRUCTIONS ARE RECEIVED.

2. ON SITUATION OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES IN HONG KONG, CONSUL GENERAL SAID THAT HE HAD RECEIVED FROM HONG KONG GOVERNMENT A LIST OF 64 REFUGEES WHO INDICATED SOME INTEREST IN GOING TO BELGIUM, HE SENT HIS CONSUL AND CHANCELLOR TO THE DETENTION CAMPS TO INTERVIEW ALL OF THESE PEOPLE. AS A RESULT, ONLY 22 INDICATED A DEFINITE INTEREST IN BELGIUM FOR RESETTLEMENT, ALL ON THE BASIS OF RELATIVES THERE. ON MAY 2, HE CABLED BRUSSELS PROVIDING DETAILS OF THE CLAIMED RELATIONSHIPS, AND HE IS AWAITING A RESPONSE IN ORDER TO ISSUE VISAS. SOME OF THE 22 HAVE SUFFICIENT FUNDS FOR AIR TRANSPORTATION TO BELGIUM. HE UNDERSTANDS THE REST  
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 HONG K 05759 270536Z

CAN BE TRANSPORTED BY ICEM.

CROSS

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT, POLICIES  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 27 MAY 1975  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** ElyME  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1975HONGK05759  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** D750184-0460  
**From:** HONG KONG  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1975/newtext/t19750517/aaaaapkw.tel  
**Line Count:** 62  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Office:** ACTION ITF  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 75 BRUSSELS 4589  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** ElyME  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 11 APR 2003  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <11 APR 2003 by Izenbel0>; APPROVED <04 NOV 2003 by ElyME>  
**Review Markings:**

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
05 JUL 2006

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** GOB POLICY ON RESETTLEMENT OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES  
**TAGS:** SREF, AEMR, BE, HK  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006